BEFORE THE IOWA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSIONER

IN THE MATTER OF
DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

ORDER

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WORKERS' COMPENSATION

I delegate authority to each and every deputy workers' compensation commissioner to issue the final agency decision whenever the deputy presides at a hearing conducted under Iowa Code section 86.12 to determine whether cause exists to avoid an assessment being imposed as a result of the failure to file a required report. This delegation is made pursuant to Iowa Code section 86.3. This ruling issued by the deputy is final agency action within the purview of Iowa Code section 17A.19. The deputy's ruling is not subject to review by the workers' compensation commissioner. Pursuant to Iowa Code section 86.26, any petition for judicial review arising from a deputy's order assessing a penalty under Iowa Code section 86.12 shall name the Iowa Division of Workers' Compensation and the injured worker as respondents. Proper service of the petition for judicial review shall be made on the Iowa Division of Workers' Compensation, 1000 E. Grand Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50319 and upon the Office of the Iowa Attorney General/Special Litigation Division, 1305 E. Walnut Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50319

This authority shall continue until further ordered.

Signed and filed this <u>Methoday</u> of February, 2015.

JOSEPH S. CORTESE II
WORKERS' COMPENSATION
COMMISSIONER